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Bryan, Texas, April 10, 1907.

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A. AND M. COLLEGE CLOSES AT NOON TODAY.

Presence of a Mild Type of Typhoid Fever the Cause—Statement From Acting President Puryear.

College Station, Texas, May 24.—On account of the appearance of typhoid fever among the students, the faculty has decided to suspend the exercises of the A. and M. College for this session from and after the dinner hour Saturday, May 25. Acting President Puryear authorizes the following statement:

"On May 19, Cadet W. E. Sampson, of Saint Jo, entered the hospital with a fever which in a few days proved to be a typical case of mild typhoid fever. On May 18 other cases began to appear. There has been a total of twenty-five cases of fever of which twenty are thought to be typhoid. Cadets Sampson and C. F. Adickes of Huntsville are still in the hospital and are doing well. The other twenty-three were allowed to go home as soon as the symptoms indicated the probability that they had typhoid fever.

"It is believed that the source of infection is the water in an under-ground cistern, probably contaminated during the recent heavy rains. All the cisterns used by the cadets were promptly closed and distilled water is now used at the barracks and boiled water at the Mess Hall. Bacteriological examination will be made of the cistern water. The cisterns will be emptied and thoroughly disinfected. Vigorous measures will be taken at once to remove every possible source of infection.

"The regular examinations for the senior class were to have begun Monday, May 27. The other classes were to have had one more week of review before their examinations. It will be seen therefore that save for the formality of the final examination the work of the session was practically over and that the loss on that score will not be serious. Under these circumstances the faculty felt that it were better to suspend the exercises rather than run the risk of being obliged to have other students go home with the fever or to keep them away from their homes while sick. The commencement exercises will be omitted.

"The session just closing with the exception of this trouble has been a remarkably successful one. The attendance has been the largest in the history of the College. The present corps of cadets is a fine body of young men and their work has been of a high grade.

"President Harrington continues to improve."

**EDGE-HALL-SMITH DRUG COMPANY CONTEST.**

**Fourth Count of the Votes Made—Some Changes in the Position of Candidates This Week.**

The fourth count of the votes in the Edge-Hall-Smith Drug Company scholarship contest was made last night and shows that a good vote has been polled, while there have also been some changes in the position of candidates. Miss Alma Miller leads among the young ladies, with Miss Maggie Dawson second, Miss Sadie Batte third and Miss Willie Mae Brockman fourth. Emmett Scrimshire still leads among the boys with Pink Graham second, Hiram Downard third, and Dick Griffin fourth. The names and vote of candidates who have withdrawn from the race are omitted from this list.

THE VOTE.

Alma Miller.....	4886
Maggie Dawson.....	47510
Sadie Batte .....	19112
Willie May Brockman.....	10907
Lorraine Reynolds.....	9452
Mary Harris .....	4272
Pearl Kern.....	2787
Fannie May Miller.....	2351
Maybelle Withers.....	1227
Emmett Scrimshire .....	48858
Pink Graham .....	40291
Hiram Downard.....	22992
Dick Griffin .....	11799
Leslie Martin .....	3320

PRACTICALLY OUT OF DANGER.

President Harrington's improvement continued yesterday, and Dr. Gilbert informed the Eagle last night that he was considered practically out of danger. Dr. Harrington, brother of the president, returned to Waco yesterday.

FREE BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday announcements are as follows: Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m., subject "Types and Shadows." Children's meeting 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor 7:15 p. m. Preaching 8 p. m., subject, "The Spirit Knocking at the Closed Door." Baptism will follow the night service.

Rev. Bagwell will preach tonight at 8 o'clock on "The Life of a Young Man."

## MUST BE STOPPED.

No More Scenes Like Those of Tuesday Tolerated.

New York, May 23.—Police Commissioner Bligh said that he had written a letter to the owners of the New York Baseball club of the National Baseball league, notifying them that "such rowdyism" as that which was shown at Tuesday's New York-Chica



HARRY STEINFELDT.

Noted batsman and third base man of the Chicago National league champions.

go game at the Polo grounds must be stopped. If there is any recurrence of it, the commissioner said, arrests will be made.

Texas League.

Waco, 3; Dallas, 1.  
Galveston, 8; Austin, 4.  
Temple, 4; Fort Worth, 2.

Southern League.

Little Rock, 3; Montgomery, 0.  
Memphis, 3; Birmingham, 1.  
New Orleans, 8; Atlanta, 5.

National League.

St. Louis, 10; Boston, 2.  
New York, 7; Chicago, 1.  
Brooklyn, 2; Cincinnati, 1.  
Philadelphia, 7; Pittsburgh, 4.

American League.

Cleveland, 3; Washington, 2.  
Detroit, 6; Philadelphia, 5.

## PROTEST OF SWITCHMEN.

**Request President to Secure a Reversal of Recent Decision.**

Detroit, May 23.—At the biennial convention of the Switchmen's Union of North America, now in session here, a resolution was adopted protesting against the "kidnapping" of Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone, and requesting President Roosevelt to use all legitimate means in his power to secure a reversal of the recent decision "legalizing kidnapping." The resolution was adopted unanimously.

The resolution declares that "all laws relative to the protection and liberty of all American citizens in procuring defense were denied these brothers by the governors of Colorado and Idaho, and that their removal to the scene of the murder of ex-Governor Steunenberg constitutes a pure and simple case of kidnapping."

The resolution continues: And "Whereas, President Roosevelt has sent fit to us the public press in expressing sentiments that Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone were 'undesirable citizens,' and previously referred to the Western Federation of Miners' officials as having been implicated in the murder; and

"Whereas, Such statements stand without precedent in the civilized world; and

"Whereas, We believe said statements will affect these brothers in jail in Idaho, condemning before trial. Be it

"Resolved, That the Switchmen's Union of North America, in convention assembled, denounces the series of outrages instituted against these brothers, believing it a serious blow to American citizenship and good government. Be it further

"Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to President Roosevelt requesting that he use all the legitimate means in his power to compel the courts to reverse the recent decision legalizing the kidnapping of these brothers and obey the intent of the constitution in its rights of men."

A resolution was also adopted urging every member of the organization to become prominent in politics, and to work for men who favor measures beneficial to himself, regardless of party.

## OUTRAGED AND MURDERED.

Dreadful Deed Perpetrated on Outskirts of a Village.

New York, May 23.—Amelia Staffeldt, fifteen years of age, was outraged and murdered on the outskirts of her father's farm in Elmhurst, L. I. Word of the outrage spread quickly through the farming section where the girl's father lives. A determined posse of 200 neighbors searched for the murderer, but without avail.

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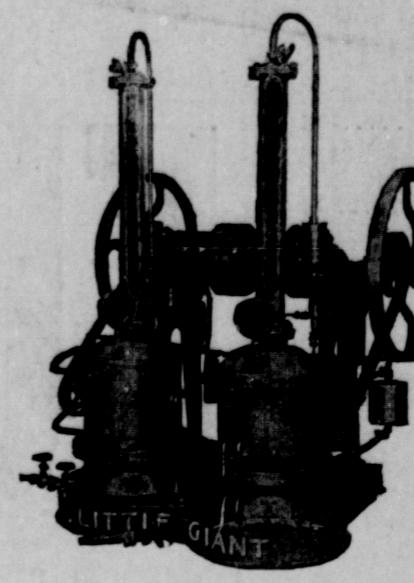
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# LEVY BROS.

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### Bed Room Suites

Solid oak, golden finish, regular price \$20.00; reduced to \$13.50  
Something better with 20x24 mirror, regular price \$25.00; reduced to \$17.25  
The same in heavy French plate mirror size 24x30, regular price \$30.00; reduced to \$21.50  
Fancy mirror suits, all reduced from \$10.00 to \$5.00 each

### SEPARATE DRESSERS

Regular price \$10.00 reduced to \$7.00  
Regular price \$12.50 reduced to \$8.25  
Regular price \$15.00 reduced to \$11.25  
Regular price \$17.50 reduced to \$12.75  
Regular price \$20.00 reduced to \$15.25

### Chiffoniers



A great many to select from. All golden oak with heavy French plate mirrors.

Reg. price \$12.50, reduced to \$9.50  
Reg. price \$15.00, reduced to \$12.50  
Reg. price \$22.50, reduced to \$17.25  
Reg. price \$25.00, reduced to \$19.50

### Bed Springs

Black Japanned wire, regular \$2.50 quality, reduced to \$1.65  
The cone shape, regular \$4.00, reduced to \$2.85

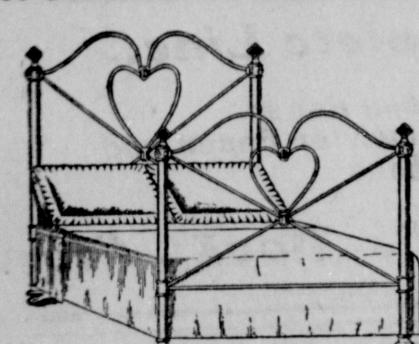
### Child's Iron Beds

White enamel, regular price \$7.50; reduced to \$5.50  
Regular price \$9.00, reduced to \$7.00  
Regular price \$10.00, reduced to \$7.50  
Regular price \$12.50, reduced to \$10.50

### Side Boards

Regular price \$22.50 reduced to \$17.50  
Regular price \$27.50 reduced to \$21.00  
Regular price \$30.00 reduced to \$23.00  
Regular price \$40.00 reduced to \$32.50  
Regular price \$65.00 reduced to \$55.00

### Iron and Brass Beds



We bought them before the advance and will make you the following low prices:  
Regular price \$4.00 reduced to \$2.35  
Regular price \$4.50 reduced to \$2.85  
Regular price \$5.00 reduced to \$3.35  
Regular price \$6.00 reduced to \$4.35  
Regular price \$7.50 reduced to \$5.85  
Regular price \$10.00 reduced to \$7.25  
Solid brass beds regular price \$30.00 reduced to \$19.75

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# FURNITURE

Mattings and Rugs will begin TODAY and continue until Saturday, June 8. Great preparations have been made for this sale and we expect to be extremely busy and have planned to make it of such unusual interest and importance that no one who cares for economy can afford to miss it. Below is a partial list of the VALUES YOU CAN EXPECT:

THE BIG  
LAWN  
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that all of you know sells  
for \$5.00 reduced to

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Woven Wire Cots

Regular price 1.75, reduced to 1.30  
Cloth Cots reduced to 90c

### Extension Tables

All solid oak. Regular price \$6.00, reduced to \$4.45  
Something better, with heavy legs; regular price \$12.50, reduced to 7.75  
Still others, regular price \$15.00 reduced to 10.75  
Very fine quarter sawed oak, regular price \$30.00, reduced to 22.50

### Hall Trees

Regular price \$8.50 reduced to \$6.50  
Regular price \$11.00 reduced to 8.50  
Regular price \$12.50 reduced to 10.85  
Regular price \$16.00 reduced to 13.25  
Regular price \$17.50 reduced to 14.50  
Regular price \$25.00 reduced to 18.50  
Regular price \$30.00 reduced to 26.50

### China Closets

Regular price \$35.00, reduced to \$26.00  
Regular price \$30.00, reduced to \$22.50  
Regular price \$27.50, reduced to \$19.95

### PORCH ROCKER Settees

Regular price \$5.50 reduced to \$4.50  
Porch rattan chairs, something within the reach of everyone



A big Rocker, rattan seat, an back, regular price \$2.50 reduced to 1.90

### Chairs

High back wood and cane seat as low as 75c

### Curtain Poles

White enameled with silver ends regular price 15c and 20c reduced to 7.5c

### Parlor Cabinets

Mahogany, all mirror back, regular price \$12.50, reduced to 7.50  
Mahogany, all mirror back, regular price \$15.00, reduced to \$10.00

### Window Shades

Made of good cloth with fringe regular price 40c, reduced to 25c  
Something better, regular 60c reduced to 42.5c

### Art Squares

In the Matting, Granite, Ingrain, Brussels and Moquette, 9-12, from 3.75 up.

Remember our goods are goods of quality and you can make no mistake in purchasing during this sale, so come early before the stock is broken and make your selection. Should there be anything in our line not listed above don't forget we have it and will make similar cut prices

EVERYTHING MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES.

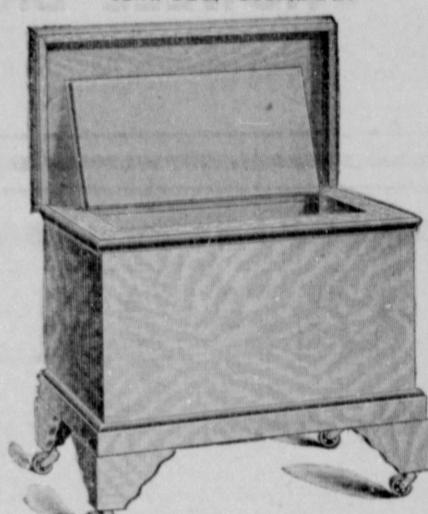
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### Rockers

Cobler and Wood Seat.  
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Regular price 2.00, reduced to 1.25  
Regular price 2.50, reduced to 1.85  
Regular price 3.00, reduced to 2.15  
Regular price 4.00, reduced to 2.90

### Refrigerators

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A large variety of the best makes at Reduced Prices.

### Rugs

A 54 inch rug, regular \$1.25 reduced to 90c  
A 72 inch rug, regular \$1.75 reduced to 1.25  
A 72 inch smyrna, regular \$2.00 reduced to 1.65  
A good velvet, regular \$2.00, reduced to 1.65  
The large size moquette and velvet, regular \$4.00 reduced to 3.15

### Porch Settees

4 feet, regular price 4.00, reduced to 3.25  
5 feet, regular price 4.50, reduced to 3.65  
6 feet, regular price 5.00, reduced to 4.35

### Matting

This is something you will appreciate, as we all know every one can afford to buy it during this sale.

A good 15c China matting reduced to 10c  
A 22.5c quality to be reduced to 14c  
A 25c quality, reduced to 17.5c

### Mattresses

We sell the Ostermoor and Sealy—best in the world—mattresses full size as low as 1.65

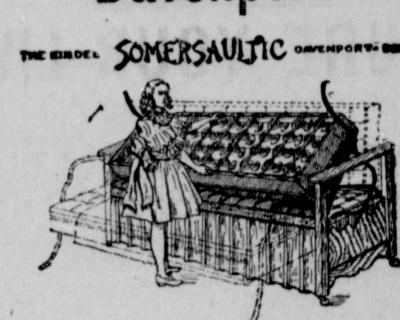
### Center Tables

Regular price 1.00 reduced to 65c  
Regular price 1.25 reduced to 80c  
Regular price 1.75 reduced to 1.15  
Regular price 2.00 reduced to 1.40

### Garden Hose

Regular price 6.50, reduced to 5.25  
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## Say Ashes of Roses

MRS. LEONARD MARSHALL.

"La fin de toute chose . . .  
Adieu, Cendres de Roses."

Only a torn scrap of paper trodden in the dust of the Paris streets; within sound of joyous laughter, the buzz of conversation and the whirr of motor wheels. Only seven little blurred and tear-stained words

in a woman's handwriting, mutilated past all meaning for the but so full of import to the initiated few.

Were all things ended for her who had penned them? What depths of misery had she sounded? On what Calvary was her woman's heart lied?

Alas! Have we not all our "Cendres de Roses?"

Memories of joys supreme that flung open the Gates of Paradise lived the span of life allotted to a rose—or to love—followed by tracting doubts and despairing anguish and the never-to-be-ended life that nothing can assuage, no balm will ever heal!

Dear dead relics mayhap of a passion that once raged like a prairie fire and gradually burnt itself out. . . .

Ashes of kind words, gone, consumed in the furnace of Time as we who have lived, loved and suffered, will one day be—a pinch of dust scattered to the four winds of Heaven! For such is the destiny of man!

Flowers of fancy—ashes of roses, you alone are real in a world where most things are false.

For sordid Wisdom cannot arrest the growth of illusions that blossom in our souls. In depths where only our inward gaze may see among the clefts of the rock they bloom waiting for the magic touch that will reap the harvest if they were not left to die unculled in the heart starvation of unrequited love.

Mothers have their ashes of roses—toys of little children long since passed away to higher spheres. They are treasured mementoes of a mother's love for the sons and daughters living enshrined in the life of her heart, though men unwisely may have deemed them dead, forgetful that children are immortal to the women who have felt the flower-like touch of baby lips grown cold.

Ashes of roses, sodden with tears of blood, you should be treasured in a vase of porphyry and gold; for the whole world holds nothing half so precious as pure unsullied love!

Ashes of roses safely guarded in some shrine of memory, unforgettable words that once fell like balm upon a wounded heart, may we never reach the deep regions of black despair wherein echoes the wailing cry "Adieu, Cendres de Roses!" . . .

For the rose of the world is love, and thrice happy are those who can treasure it, aye, even unto its ashes!

## Airships for Science and Pleasure

By ALBERT A. MERRILL.

There are three points of view from which the balloon may be regarded. My opinion is that the order of their importance is as follows: First, as an instrument of science; second, as an instrument of sport, and third, as a means of transportation.

Taking them in their order it seems to me that balloons are of great value in meteorology. The free balloon carrying instruments must certainly be considered of vast importance as a means of increasing our knowledge of upper air conditions, and the general use of these balloons all over the world would open up the possibility of our being able to chart the upper air currents as kites will enable us to plot the lower air currents, and as observatories, do now enable us to plot surface currents. Such increase of knowledge as these balloons will obtain will certainly help in weather prediction, and the value of correct weather prediction can hardly be overestimated.

Secondly, as a means of pleasure to the daring and wealthy, the balloon offers many possibilities. Santos Dumont in France, and Knabenhube in this country, have demonstrated that the small dirigible balloon for one man is practical, and for the courageous hardly any sport can offer such pleasure.

Thirdly, as a means of transportation, in the modern acceptation of that word, I can see no future whatever for the balloon. The ratio of the paying to the dead weight which can be carried is so low as to exclude the earning of dividends on investment. To obtain a practical speed and independence of wind more power must be used than can safely be exerted through so frail a structure as a balloon must be, and this condition seems to be inherent in the weight and pressure of gases. Unless a new gas can supersede hydrogen or something prove better than steel, I see no reason to suppose that the balloon will ever be other than a scientific instrument and a plaything of the rich.

This in peace. In times of war its value for scouting is acknowledged, but its value for dropping explosives is problematical.

*Albert A. Merrill*

A man may drink a glass of typhoid germs if he is in vigorous health and may not get typhoid fever, because his system may throw off the poison, but if he is broken down one of the germs will get hold of his intestines and produce ulceration and

typhoid.

Not a man but has a pneumonia germ in his mouth. It will not affect the healthy being, but let a man get a cold and it will take its seat in his lungs.

I think a man ought to choose his own ration. Lots of people are vegetarians. I think we eat too much meat for health. I HAVE VOLUNTARILY CUT DOWN MY MEAT TO ONE MEAL A DAY, and I do not eat very much at that.

For the sustenance of physical exertion, if you have hard work to do, there is nothing better than starch or sugar. The cereal-eating nations can endure more physical toil than the meat-eating nations.

You cannot tire out a Jap who eats rice. He will draw you all around the town on a pound of rice and be as fresh at the close of the day as when he started.

You could not do that on a pound of meat to save your life.



## Meat Only Once a Day

By DR. HARVEY M. WILEY,  
Chief of Bureau of Chemistry, Washington.

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## The Effect of the Aeroplane on War

By W. T. STEAD.  
London Journalist.

I t is not probable that the chief use of the aeroplane in warfare will be to fight other aeroplanes, but rather to drop high explosives upon ships and fortresses. If the airship can be navigated with as much certainty as ships can be steered and propelled at sea, there seems to be some reason to fear that it will within a short space of time convert the navies of the world into scrap iron. Half a dozen aeroplanes floating in midair over battleships at anchor in a roadstead or a harbor would be able to drop bombs charged with high explosives on the decks of the floating fortresses. They would get the range, so to speak, for their aerial torpedoes by dropping hand grenades, and then a single well placed projectile might put the greatest warship out of action. The peril of the Dreadnought from the submarine is as nothing to the danger from this overhead bombardment. For the submarine is not worth much on the high seas, and ships in docks or inclosed harbors are safe from its attack. To aeroplanes ships in docks would be more exposed than if they were lying outside in the open.

It may be that the sovereignty of the sea, which secures England's immunity from invasion, may be destroyed by bolts from the blue. In that case, as we no longer should be able to rely upon our fleets to defend our shores, the advocates of universal military service would have everything their own way.

It is probable that the use of the aeroplane may entirely revolutionize the art of war. For example, the defense of fortresses would become almost impossible if the besiegers could at any hour of the day or night with comparative impunity drop huge shells charged with high explosives in the heart of the citadel or rain down Greek fire upon the enemies' arsenals and ship yards. All fortified places are constructed on the assumption that no attack will be made on them from above.

Therefore it is by no means improbable that the forthcoming conference at The Hague may find itself occupied with a subject which has no place on the official programme. The question will arise, if a new weapon of warfare has been discovered which renders existing methods obsolete, shall we attempt to prevent its use, or shall we be driven to admit that war itself has become practically impossible? In other words, has the aeroplane brought us face to face with the situation to which the discovery of Vril brought the nations in Lytton's "The Coming Race?"

Nature has her beauty through the emphasis of that system and method which the poet indicates are the source of his inspiration and ardor. For life means system and order; death means confusion and chaos. The toadstool, that is irregular in its time and method of growth, and the apples of Sodom, stuffed with soot and ashes, represent the disregard of systematic growth. The harvests are, indeed, "the lyric thoughts of God, falling from His almighty solitude," yet they fall at stated periods. The seasons are the notes flying forth from the strings of Nature's lyre as God's solemn hands wander over the possibilities of beauty, yet these notes have their ordained intervals. David's prayer and song, rising at morning and noon and evening, do but repeat Nature's plan and method.

If in Nature's realm system has perfected our flowers and fruits, the history of our great writers tells us that in the realm of literature systematic toil has polished our most perfect poems and perfected all great philosophies. Drudgery hath gifts to bestow beyond the wealth of earth's most famous instructors. Were we to search out the secret of earth's greatest writers we would find that these votaries have, like David, lingered morning, noon and night in the temple of art, of eloquence or of sweet song. It has been affirmed that in the realm of eloquence man must wait the coming of his nobler moods, that the greatest artists are born, not trained; that the highest eloquence represents certain critical and unexpected moments that of necessity can neither be anticipated nor prepared for. But fortunately the history of our orators is not hidden, and it tells of no orator or statesman whose supremest gifts have not represented systematic practice. For material riches without begin with meditation and the enrichment and culture of the soul within, and each hero and saint of the spiritual life has said with David: "Evening and morning and noon will I pray." When the multitudes cease to flow into the sanctuary to bathe themselves in God's divine ether, to wash the grime from the soul's garments, to sharpen the dulled instruments of the spirit, that moment the bloom and beauty will begin to pass from our arts, our literature, our music, our laws, and the very springs of civilization will dry up. The soul is in its highest mood only when it enters regularly and systematically into the sanctuary, and there, through adoring worship, strengthens that golden cord that binds it to the throne of love.

What man or woman, growing old, would not give a fortune for the renewal of youth? With a little care they might have kept it for ten or a dozen years longer, but its value was not realized until too late. Up to the age of 23 or 25 in the case of men, and 18 or 20 in the case of women, the framework of the body is being formed and the diet should be generous. After the thirtieth year has been passed it is no longer necessary to eat to make more tissues, but only to preserve equilibrium of weight and strength. Yet at that time eating is a pleasure highly appreciated. Therefore, most men and women eat too much, and this is the time of life when indiscretions in diet produce disease with especial frequency.

Do not eat heavy suppers.

Drink little or no alcohol.

Avoid rich meats and pastry.

Do not grow fat by eating too much. Fat people seldom reach a good old age. The youthful old man is lean.

Lessen your food continually as you grow older.

Overeating produces all the diseases that make one old.

Underfeeding shortens life.

Just enough and a trifle over is the ideal.

## The Club Universal for Young Men

By GEORGE SUTHERLAND.  
Executive Secretary, Cleveland, O., Y. M. C. A.

In these days of exclusive clubs it is possible to point out one club that is open for membership to all good citizens of the male persuasion—the Young Men's Christian association.

Plenty of people think of the Young Men's Christian association as a religious institution, merely. It is that, and more. The religion is mostly on the inside, but can be noticed on the outside through its results. What the blood is to the body, religion is to the Young Men's Christian association. It works from the heart toward the surface.

Good blood makes a good body.

So much for the policy of an institution which works for the good of mankind, but does not wear its religion on its coat sleeve.

In the Young Men's Christian association everything helpful that can be done for a man is done. Positively no questions are asked about what particular church one belongs to, or whether one belongs to any church. A member may believe anything he pleases; he can be a Jew or a Gentile, a Catholic or a Protestant—yea a Buddhist or a Mohammedan—it is all one at the Y. M. C. A. The association's only object is to help the man, and it does not concern itself about the meums and tuums of mere dogma.

And the man whom the association influences is helped in many ways. Association workers say they try to help him in three distinct ways—morally, mentally and physically. The first is through association and assimilation, the second through education, and the third by means of what possibly might be termed gymnastication, i. e., physical training in the gymnasium.

When a young man joins the Young Men's Christian association he finds good company. In such company it does not take him long to become interested in things which promote the best interests of his character. Sometimes he makes friends with people who afterward find themselves in a position to help him. Many such valuable aids to success have come out of the fellowship which is engendered at the Y. M. C. A. But this reference, of course, is to the merely selfish side of the question. After a little while the young man gets past this, and reaches the point where he enjoys helping others. In short, he has absorbed an atmosphere which developed his soul life, and which has made of him a better young man than he was when he joined the association.

Some good things to be found in almost any Y. M. C. A. in the country are its baths—shower, plunge and tub; games of various kinds in gymnasium practice; reading and writing rooms; library; Sunday afternoon talks—neither sermons nor lectures, but genuinely interesting; evening discussions on the pressing problems of the hour; course lectures, presenting the best lyceum talent available; debating congresses; camera, water sport, boxing, fencing, wrestling, musical and outing clubs; employment bureaus; night school classes, etc.

"Better Manhood!" is the motto of the Young Men's Christian association.

## The Two Seals of the Book of Life

By REV. THOMAS E. BARR.  
Milwaukee.

The book of life is sealed with two words—rights and duties. What is due to us from the world, what is due from us to the world—these two complete the circle of our social relations.

Even in the higher sphere in which we deal with God the same division holds; some things we may expect from God, specially that we shall be dealt with in accordance with the nature he has given us and the conditions under which we are placed; some things of faith and obedience and following, we owe to him. These two supplement each other. Our first necessities compel us to seek our rights, to demand of men what we feel is due to us, of opportunity, of supply, of consideration. Associated life forces us to recognize duty, obligation to give even as we demand; as children we owe obedience to our parents, as students to teachers, as employees to employers, as citizens to the law, as human souls to God. The chain is complete.

Duty is first in importance. It is always at hand. It is a continual seed time. Duty ignored to-day may break a thread in the fabric of life which years hence will spoil our happiness. Duty is the gateway to knowledge and the means of power. To-day's duty educates and strengthens for to-morrow's responsibility and the next day's battle for rights. Duty performed is the protection against our ignorance. Duty performed, honestly and ungrudgingly, holds us in accord with this unseen, unfolding life, and brings us with clean hands to plead for our rights in the court of humanity or heaven.

This is the way out of our troubles. It is not only a good road to follow. It is the road we must travel. We shall only heap up sorrow for ourselves until we learn to do the first things first, to do our duty and so find our rights. Thus it was that Jesus, reminding his hearers of the ungrudging love of parents as picturing the love of God for men, said, "Therefore, all things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them: for this is the law and the prophets."

## Advantages of Madness

By GILBERT J. CHESTERTON.  
Noted English Writer.

The truth is, I fear, that madness has a great advantage over sanity. Sanity is always careless. Madness is always careful.

There is a great deal of falsehood in the notion that truth must necessarily prevail. There is this falsehood to start with: that if a man has got the truth he is generally happy. And if he is happy he is generally lazy. The incessant activity, the exaggerated intelligence, generally belong to those who are a little wrong and just a little right.

The whole advantage of those who think that Bacon wrote Shakespeare lies simply in the fact that they care whether Bacon wrote Shakespeare. The whole disadvantage of those who do not think it lies in the fact that they do not care about it. The sane man who is sane enough to see that Shakespeare wrote Shakespeare is the man who is sane enough not to worry whether he did or not.

## E. J. FOUNTAIN THE QUALITY GROCER

### THE MORNING EAGLE

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BRYAN, TEXAS, MAY 25, 1907

The State Health department has issued an order requiring railroad companies to use every possible precaution to prevent the breeding of mosquitoes near station houses.

A national convention of tramps has just been held at Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. A notable feature was the action of the police in ordering the "delegates" to leave the city immediately after adjournment.

The Waco Morning Star is the name of a new publication that made its appearance Wednesday. It is published by the Star Publishing Company of which H. B. Terrell is president and A. M. Kennedy is manager.

The Chicago Daily News holds the world's record for the largest yearly advertising expenditure by a single advertiser. "The Fair," a well-known house of that city, having spent during the last year, \$117,777.64, with The News, alone.

Attorney General Davidson has ruled that insurance companies must comply with the Robertson act by December 21 of this year. The law requires investment in Texas securities on the part of the companies doing business in the state.

A speaker in a recent Sunday School institute declared that we get greater returns from the work done in the Sunday school than from the same amount of energy expended in any other direction. He said we give to this work of talents about five per cent., of time two per cent., of thought two per cent., of treasure three per cent. In return we get ninety-eight per cent. of our preachers, ninety-five per cent. of church workers, eighty-five per cent. of converts, and eighty per cent. of our churches from the Sunday schools. Surely such large returns should lead us to expend more talents, time thought and treasure in this field.—Christian Observer.

A government report on the Standard Oil Co. has just been issued in which is detailed the work of this company in monopolizing the production and sale of oil during the past 35 years. The report says that the principal means of maintaining this monopoly has been rebates and other unfair methods of getting cheaper transportation than its rivals. A part of the report is withheld on account of its bearing

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#### Proposals.

Sealed bids will be received at the president's office at the A. and M. College of Texas until 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, June 1st, for the privilege of a lunch stand on the campus during the commencement exercises. No intoxicating liquors of any kind will be allowed on the grounds. The privilege will extend to ice cream, soda water, lemonade, fruits and cigars, in addition to the lunch sale.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

H. H. Harrington, President.

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and believe that it will compare favorably with any \$6.00 Panama you can buy elsewhere. All we ask is for you to set for yourself. Our stock now comprises an excellent assortment of the leading shapes, ranging in price from

## \$5.00 to \$8.50

and we believe the \$8.50 grade will compare with those you buy at other stores for \$10. Other straws:

## \$1.00 to \$3.00

Its Hat Time now — Don't wait.

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Men's Furnishers

#### NO CASE ESTABLISHED.

Judge Maxey So Holds, and Orders Release of Defendant.

San Antonio, May 23.—After the state had concluded the presentation of its case in the Federal court against Louis Lechinger, the Houston jeweler charged with smuggling \$23,000 worth of jewelry from Mexico, Judge Maxey instructed the jury to find the defendant not guilty. He held that no case had been established. The defense presented no evidence at all; although a large number of character witnesses had come up from Houston to testify in Lechinger's behalf.

Lechinger gave bond for the full appraised value of the jewelry, and it was turned over to him. There is a civil suit pending for the confiscation of the jewelry, but this will now probably be dismissed, as the result of the criminal case is a bar to further proceedings.

#### PARADE STREETS.

Seven Hundred Grand Army Veterans March at Enid.

Enid, Okla., May 23.—The seventeenth annual encampment of the Oklahoma Grand Army of the Republic opened here in the Loewen Opera House. At the morning session Judge M. C. Garber of Enid delivered the address of welcome, which was responded to by M. M. Duncan of Lawton. The parade was the largest ever seen in this city, being participated in by over 700 old veterans, local, civic and military organizations and over 600 school children.

Thousands of spectators along the line of march cheered the aged veterans marching to the music of the fife and drum as they did in 1861. Wednesday night there was a programme of flag drills, music and addresses at the opera house.

#### Protect Your Piano.

Ordinary moth balls will not destroy or keep moths out of your piano. Collier's Moth Exterminator will destroy them and it is absolutely harmless to pianos. This preparation is sold under a strict guarantee. Smith Drug Co., sole agents for Bryan. 144

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## Report of the Condition OF THE CITY NATIONAL BANK

At Bryan, in the State of Texas, at the Close of Business, May 20, 1907.

#### RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts.....	\$436,204 01
Overdrafts, secured and un- secured.....	5,529 50
U. S. Bonds to secure circula- tion.....	50,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits.....	50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....	4,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc.....	6,230 50
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures.....	2,154 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).....	57,525 95
Due from State Banks and Banks.....	5,721 88
Due from approved reserve agents.....	54,031 70
Checks and other cash items.....	1,855 19
Notes of other National Banks	1,225 00
Fractional paper currency, nick- els, and cents.....	46 83
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank viz:	
Specie.....	\$16,921 65
Legal-tender notes.....	9,038 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of cir- culation).....	25,959 65
Total.....	702,984 26

#### LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund.....	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	23,845 17
National Bank notes outstand- ing.....	50,000 00
Due to other National Banks.....	584 60
Due to approved reserve agents	395 17
Individual deposits subject to check.....	474,874 44
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	3,284 88
United States deposits.....	50,000 00
Total.....	702,984 26

State of Texas  
County of Brazos } ss.

I, A. W. Wilkerson, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. W. WILKERSON, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of May, 1907.

ED. S. DERDEN,  
Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest:  
G. S. PARKER,  
E. H. ASTIN,  
J. W. ENGLISH,  
Directors.

#### RECAPITULATION.

Loans and discounts.....	\$441,733.51
U. S. bonds and premiums.....	104,000.00
Stocks, securities, etc.....	6,230.50
Furniture and fixtures.....	2,154.00
Cash and exchange.....	148,866.25
Total.....	\$702,984.26

Capital stock.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and profits (net).....	73,845.17
Circulation.....	50,000.00
Deposits.....	529,139.09
Total.....	\$702,984.26

#### CHRISTIAN CHURCH REVIVAL JUNE 9.

According to present plans, the revival under the direction of the Christian church, and to be conducted under a large tabernacle in the courthouse yard by Evangelists Wilhite and Tuckerman, will begin on June 9, possibly a few days earlier. The tabernacle will be built the coming week and will be 60x100 feet. Pastor Challenor and his congregation are busy with the preliminary details for the meeting.

Evangelists Wilhite and Tuckerman are having great success with the meeting in Hillsboro, and had fifty-one additions to the church up to Wednesday. The Hillsboro Mirror tells of the wonderful results of the meeting which is drawing immense crowds that overflow the building at each service.

#### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday school 9:45 A. M., Prof. R. O. Allen, Aupt.

At 11 o'clock Rev. Cullom Booth, of Austin, will preach the commencement sermon of the Allen Academy.

Epworth League 7:15. A full attendance of the members is earnestly requested.

Preaching 8:00 p. m., by Rev. Cullom Booth.

A cordial invitation to the public to attend all these services.

I. F. Betts, Pastor.

#### Protect Your Carpets.

Don't let the moths ruin your Carpets and Rugs. Collier's Moth Exterminator will destroy them. A 50c bottle will save every carpet in your home. Sold and guaranteed by Smith drug Co.

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Don't let me forget to see R. G. Tabor about that life insurance.

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State of Texas  
County of Brazos } ss.

I, A. W. Wilkerson, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of May, 1907.

ED. S. DERDEN,

Notary Public.

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### PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES.

#### H. & T. C. SCHEDULE

No. 3 North bound.....	1:38 p. m.
No. 5 North bound.....	12:46 a. m.
No. 2 South bound.....	3:40 p. m.
No. 6 South bound.....	2:48 a. m.

#### I. & G. N. SCHEDULE

No. 102 North bound.....	10:20 a. m.
No. 101 South bound.....	5:05 p. m.

Call for Pretoria Rye. 84tf

J. T. Evans has returned from Austin. Rev. Gleissner went to Caldwell yesterday.

R. J. Swancoat returned to Austin yesterday.

Miss Addie Moseley returned yesterday from Austin.

The best judges of good liquor call for Pretoria Rye. 139tf

J. B. Carroll of Rock Prairie was in the city yesterday.

J. W. Hamilton returned from Groesbeck yesterday.

Dr. J. W. Cavitt, office at E. J. Jenkins' Drug Store. 139tf

C. M. Spell has been here from Houston the past few days.

Mrs. W. B. Eidson was a visitor from Bellborn yesterday.

Mrs. Jno. H. Royder was a visitor from Bellborn yesterday.

Miss Eva Fisher left yesterday to visitatives in Cameron.

Miss Hazel Adams of Ennis is in the visiting relatives.

For the best of everything in life insure see R. G. Tabor. dt

Vill Cloud and S. S. Kelley were in Kurten yesterday.

Marriott arrived last night from Bess on a visit to relatives.

Mr. Geo. W. Smith and Miss Hettie are visiting in Houston.

A. Adams returned yesterday from business trip to South Texas points.

Miss Lona Harrington returned to Mill yesterday after a visit in this city.

F. A. Campbell of Chappel Hill guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Lide.

rent—our home place, possession to ren about June 15. Geo. A. Adams.

J. R. Stewart and children returned to Kurley yesterday after a visit at Kur-

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J. Allen Myers returned yesterday from a visit to the Jamestown Exposition, Washington, D. C., several of the northern and eastern cities and manufacturing centres.

Mrs. J. B. Barton and children left for Calvert yesterday, having moved to that city to join Mr. Barton, I. & G. N. agent.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Perkins and little daughter returned to McKinney yesterday after a visit to Mrs. O. H. Astin and other relatives.

Mrs. E. J. Trader of Kansas City, a sister of Mrs. E. S. Wickes, arrived yesterday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wickes.

For fine fresh bread and cakes of all kinds call at the Texas Bakery. Careful attention to special orders. Phone 89. Mrs. Otto Boehme. dt

Mrs. L. M. Haltom, Misses Ethel Haltom, Birdie, Ivy and Jessie Payne arrived from Benchley yesterday to attend the high school commencement.

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### HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.

Sixteen Graduates Were Awarded Diplomas Last Night—Excellent Program—Award of Medals.

In the presence of an assemblage which filled the opera house to overflowing, and amid surroundings that could hardly have been made more beautiful from a decorative point of view, the class of sixteen from the Bryan High School carried out a beautiful graduation program last night under the direction of Supt. T. S. Miner.

The decorations were confined to the class colors, white and green. The front of the stage was banked the full length with beautiful cape jasmines; on either side were curtains of white relieved by long, graceful festoons of smilax, caught in portiere effect and following the course of the arch above to an effective centerpiece. This was a basket of handsome carnations, and beneath it "Class '07" shown in letters of white light in a field of green with pennants in the class colors above.

White carnations, the class flower, were effectively used in the stage decorations.

Surrounded by these environments the fourteen beautifully gowned young ladies and two neatly dressed young men of the class made a most striking picture. The program was divided into two parts, the first including essays, musical numbers and awarding of diplomas and medals, and the second a series of beautiful tableaux.

The class honors were creditably sustained by Miss Lucile Batte, valedictorian and Miss Lena Kilough, salutatorian, the other members of the class acquitted themselves admirably, as did also Miss Pauline Webb, honored with the response from the ninth grade. The musical numbers were rendered with fine effect.

The following received diplomas: Misses Alberta Adams, Lucile Batte, Lola Betts, Irene Catherine Board, Loula M. Bullock, Frances Elizabeth Chance, Nellie Cole, Hattie Haltom, Willie Corine James, Lena Vivian Killough, Mary Clinton Knowles, Lucile DeMart, Mary Ross Parker, Bettie Tikalsky; Messrs. John Dixon Buchanan and Marion Franklin.

Miss Lucile Batte, having made the highest average of scholarship, was awarded scholarships in the University of Texas and the Southwestern University of George town.

The Major W. A. Banks memorial medal was awarded for the second consecutive year to Miss Dici Weddington. In presenting this medal Supt. Minter paid a glowing tribute to the memory of Major Banks. The Banks medal is awarded annually for the highest general average in the grammar school and high school.

The Stella Shepard memorial medal, awarded for the highest general average in the eighth grade, formerly taught by her, was awarded to Miss Laura James, the presentation being made by F. M. Law. Mr. Law's tribute to his former classmate, the late Mrs. Stella Shepard Sanford, was a gem of oratory and tender sentiment. This memorial medal is the loving tribute of friends through the instrumentality of Mrs. M. W. Sims and Mrs. W. S. Howell.

In behalf of the teachers of the public school, Prof. J. H. Allen presented a handsome gold headed cane to Prof. Minter, the retiring superintendent, and gave expression to the high regard in which Prof. Minter is held by the people of Bryan, and throughout the state because of his splendid Christian character and the great work he has done in the Bryan schools.

Prof. Minter, who had already spoken a word of thanks and leave-taking, replied to the tribute with much feeling. He thanked the teachers, the people of Bryan and the pupils of the school for the kindness and courtesy shown him during his fifteen years connection with the school, and spoke in most complimentary terms of the new superintendent, Prof. W. C. Lawson of Pulaski, Tenn.

PROGRAM.  
PART I.  
Invocation.....Rev. J. D. West, D. D.  
Piano. Symphony No. 1 Op. 21.....Beethoven  
Frances Chance-Lucile Batte  
Salutatory.....Lena Killough  
Piano—Mazurka Op. 24 No. 2.....Leschetizky  
Mary Ross Parker  
Essay—Day Dawns Upon the Acropolis... Louis Bullock

Song—Joys of Spring.....Gribel Class  
Essay—in the Brave Days of Old.....Lucile DeMart  
Piano—Invitation to the Dance... Weber  
Nellie Cole-Alberta Adams  
Essay—When Knighthood was in Flower... Marion Franklin  
Piano—Sonata No. 2.....Bohn  
Irene Board-Lucile DeMart

CHORAL CLUB MEETING.  
The final meeting of the Choral Club will be held at Carnegie Hall this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. All members are requested to attend and come prepared to settle indebtedness.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.  
Sunday school 9:45 a.m. Preaching by the pastor at the court house at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

### 'TIS RIGHT TO CARE FOR THE LIVING BUT WE SHOULD NOT FORGET THE DEAD.

To mark their resting place is the last tribute of respect we can show them. Let Hilger figure with you. He has the BEST materials, and guarantees first-class work.

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Presbyterian church services are announced for Sunday as follows by the pastor, Dr. J. D. West: Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Westminster League 7:15 p. m. The public cordially invited to attend all of these services.

CHORAL CLUB MEETING.  
The final meeting of the Choral Club will be held at Carnegie Hall this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. All members are requested to attend and come prepared to settle indebtedness.

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## KUROKI VISITS YALE.

Twenty Students From Japan  
Greet Countryman.

New Haven, May 21.—The visit to Yale university of General Kuroki was brought about by the desire of the distinguished soldier to see the institution in which many Japanese officers received a portion of their education in the higher branches.

At Woodbridge hall, General Kuroki and party were officially received by President Hadley of the university, and here, also, twenty Japanese students were assembled, and presented an address through their spokesman, Dr. Saiki, a graduate student of the field scientific school. A lunch was served the party at the Graduates' club.

General Kuroki and his party left for New York shortly before 4 o'clock, and at the railway station the Japanese students gave him a hearty send-off.

### CALLED "KIDNAPING."

Hawley Urges Method of Arresting  
Miners' Officials Be Denounced.

Detroit, May 21.—Grand Master Frank T. Hawley, in his annual address at the opening here of the biennial convention of the Switchmen's Union of North America, urged that resolution be adopted by the convention condemning the manner in which Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone were taken from Colorado to be imprisoned in Idaho, characterizing their arrest as "kidnapping," and questioning the justice of the trials now begun at Boise on the ground that they rest at foundation upon an unjust possession of the persons of the prisoners.

### CONGER IS DEAD.

Distinguished Himself During  
Boxer Outbreak.

Pasadena, Cal., May 20.—Edwin Heard Conger, United States minister to China during the Boxer siege at Pekin, died at his home here. It was largely due to the efforts of Mr. Conger during the Boxer uprising in 1900 that the American legation was saved from destruction and its occupants not massacred. Following the uprising Mr. Conger conducted the negotiations resulting in 1902 with the signing of a commercial treaty with China.

In 1905 he was appointed minister to Mexico, but in a few months retired owing to failing health.

### Hummel Serving Sentence.

New York, May 21.—Abraham Hummel, who for nearly a third of a century was one of the most widely known successful criminal lawyers in this city, Monday began service of one-year sentence in the Blackwell's Island penitentiary. The sentence was imposed upon conviction two years for conspiracy growing out of Hummel's connection with the Dodge-Morse divorce litigation.

### Plauded Guilty.

New Orleans, May 21.—James Chambers of Indianapolis, W. S. Thompson of Marshall, Tex., and C. L. Bradley of Monroe, La., indicted for violating the Federal anti-lottery law, Monday pleaded guilty in the United States circuit court. Sentence was deferred. The court announced that it would defer sentence until other cases, of which there are several, have been tried on their merits.

### Denied by Secretary.

Atlanta, May 21.—In the absence of President Harvie Jordan of the Southern Cotton association Secretary W. H. Woods of the association gave out a denial of the statement that the association had employed former United States Senator McLaurin to represent it in the case of Theo. H. Price against the New York Cotton Exchange.

### TERIBLE MISTAKE.

Young Man Was Given Strychnine In  
Place of Quinine.

Mineral Wells, Tex., May 23.—Henry Miller, twenty-two years old, who resides five miles south of Mineral Wells, was given strychnine by mistake for quinine, from the effects of which he died about an hour and a half later, the mistake not having been discovered in time to save his life.

### BOLD ROBBERY.

"Aladdin's Pot of Money" Taken From  
Show Window of Store.

Stamford, Tex., May 23.—One of the plate glass windows of the C. M. Patillo Hardware company was broken and "Aladdin's Pot of Money" was taken therefrom. The pot contained some \$100 in bills, which was kept on exhibition in the window.

### FLEE FROM MEXICO.

Large Number of Wealthy Citizens  
Have Left Their Country.

San Antonio, May 23.—The report that the surrender of Juan Jose Arevalo, leader of the Jiminez (Mex.) revolutions, to the authorities at C. D. Diaz caused great consternation along the Mexican border, it being confirmed by late arrivals here. A large number of wealthy citizens of Coahuila have fled to Eagle Pass, Del Rio, San Antonio or to St. Louis for protection. They do not know what charge may be brought against them. In many instances their flight was followed by confiscation of their property to the government.

### Used His Fists.

Washington, May 20.—Charles A. Edwards says he used his fists on Senior Garland of the Peruvian legation. "As a diplomat he may be immune from the law," said the Texan, "but he is not immune from my fists."

## HANGS HERSELF.

Young Lady Takes Her Life at  
North Texas Asylum.

Terrell, Tex., May 23.—Miss Georgia A. Hunt, a patient in the north Texas insane asylum here, took her life by hanging herself with a sheet taken from her bed. Deceased was a teacher in the high school at Gainesville, where she became violently insane Tuesday, and was adjudged insane and immediately brought to the asylum, reaching here that night at 9:15 o'clock. She resided at Mexia.

### TOOK PART IN SERVICE.

President, Mrs. Roosevelt and Son  
Worship at Virginia Church.

Charlottesville, May 20.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt and Archie worshipped at Christ Episcopal church, less than a mile from Pine Knot, Mrs. Roosevelt's country home, Sunday afternoon. Accompanied by William and Joseph Wilmer they occupied pews near the front. President and Mrs. Roosevelt entered heartily into the service, their response being very distinct. The service was led by Rev. J. J. Clepton of Casanova. Farquier county.

At the close of the service the president advanced to shake the hand of the minister and also turned to thank the choir for the music. Before entering his carriage he held quite a reception, nearly every member of the congregation shaking his hand. With some of these he chatted quite freely. Before returning to Pine Knot the party took an hour's drive.

The weather was the warmest of the season here. The morning was the so sultry that the only jaunt the president took aside from his trip to church was to Plain Dealing farm, the home of the Wilmers, who are friends of the Roosevelts.

### FATALITIES AT BALL GAME.

Plantation Overseer and a Negro Killed  
in an Altercation.

New Orleans, May 20.—G. G. Richardson, a plantation overseer, was shot and killed while watching a negro baseball game in Jefferson parish. A negro named Lewis was killed while trying to support the dying overseer. Jesse Clark, the negro who did the shooting, made his escape to this city.

Richardson and a few white men, it is said, upbraided a negro woman for her actions at the game, when Clark began shooting. The overseer and his companions returned the fire.

### INTENTIONS OF BONILA.

Says He Will Engage in Business at  
Belize, British Honduras.

New Orleans, May 20.—Former President Manuel Bonilla of Honduras, said in an interview here that he intends to go into business in Belize, British Honduras. He expects to become a general broker for tropical forest products, and also will run a plantation of his own.

### BASEBALL.

#### Texas League.

Temple, 7; Dallas, 2.  
Austin, 7; Houston, 3.  
Fort Worth, 7; Waco, 4.  
Galveston, 4; San Antonio, 2.

### Southern League.

Memphis, 9; Montgomery, 4.  
Shreveport, 6; Atlanta, 3.  
New Orleans, 2; Nashville, 1.

### American League.

Boston, 4; Chicago, 0; ten innings.  
New York, 7; St. Louis, 5.

### Another Triumph of Art.

A young New York artist says that he was in Vermont on a sketching trip one summer. One day while strolling along a pretty lane he overtook a particularly picturesque little fellow who was sauntering along with a fishing pole on his shoulder and a string of small fish in his hand. He looked so much the part of the small country boy of poetry and fiction that the artist decided he would like to make a sketch of him, and after considerable negotiation this was arranged for, the lad, in accordance with directions, perching himself on a rail fence. As the artist worked away at his sketch an old countryman came down the lane and stood looking over his shoulder.

"By gum! That certainly beats all hemlock!" the old fellow presently exclaimed admiringly.

"Like the picture, do you?" the artist asked, with a pleased flush.

"Oh, 'tain't that, though it ain't so bad. What I meant was the way you manage to keep that boy quiet so long."—New York Herald.

### To Tell a Fashionable Restaurant.

"When I was young," said an old bachelor, "at all the fashionable restaurants you wrote your order. That was the way to distinguish the really fashionable restaurant. You wrote your order there, whereas in the common one you gave it to the waiter orally. Ordering is a difficult matter. It is a thing, especially when one has guests, that one is likely to get flustered over; hence I always liked to write my order. It kept me cool. But a waiter, standing over me, suggesting dishes I didn't want, hurrying me, had the power to rattle me completely. But fashionable restaurants no longer are to be distinguished by this writing business. Writing has disappeared from them. They are to be distinguished now by their French menus—bothersome things that call a sweetbread a ris de veau, a potpie a vol au vent and a leg of mutton a gigot."

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